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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicants bring the following documents to the Examiner's attention in the referenced application.

1. U.S. Patent Number 5,734,823 to Saigh et al. entitled "Systems and Apparatus for Electronic Communication and Storage of Information."
2. U.S. Patent Number 5,734,891 to Saigh entitled "Systems and Apparatus for Electronic Communication and Storage of Time Encoded Information."
3. U.S. Patent Number 5,418,713 to Allen entitled "Apparatus and Method for an On Demand Data Delivery System for the Preview, Selection, Retrieval and Reproduction at a Remote Location of Previously Recorded or Programmed Materials."

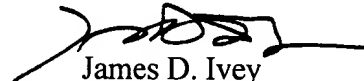
4. U.S. Patent Number 5,794,217 to Allen entitled "Apparatus and Method for an On Demand Data Delivery System for the Preview, Selection, Retrieval and Reproduction at a Remote Location of Previously Recorded or Programmed Materials."

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No Office Action on the merits has been received. This Paper is submitted under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b) and, accordingly, no fee is believed to be required.

If the Examiner has any questions or comments with respect to the present application, the Examiner is respectfully invited to telephone the undersigned at (510) 336-1100.

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